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FRANK REYNOLDS: "This is Frank Reynolds in Washington.

"Once again there is a great hue and cry in this country and abroad about the CIA. The Central Intelligence Agency is now revealed to be the very rich uncle of a number of organizations previously thought to be completely free and independent of any government influence.

"The story broke, of course, with the disclosure in Ramparts magazine that the CIA had been subsidizing the National Student Association.

"With us today are three young men who have been involved in the affair of the CIA and the NSA.

"First, Michael Wood, who is -- was formerly Director of Development for the student association, and Mr. Wood is the man who gave the story to Ramparts magazine.

"Second, Richard Stearns who is now the NSA Vice President in charge of International Activities; and Eugene Groves, current President of the National Student Association."

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ANNOUNCER: "From Washington, D. C., the American Broadcasting Company brings you Issues and Answers."

"Now, here is ABC News White House Correspondent, Frank Reynolds."

REYNOLDS: "Mr. Wood, you're the man who broke the story in Ramparts magazine, and in a sense started all the fuss. In that magazine you said in your epilogue to the piece that to break the